

## Acknowledgments.

From E. Dimmitt, Owensville, Clermont county, O., \$34, and 34 additional names to our subscription list. Bro. D. favored us with a personal interview, a day or two since, and right glad were we to hear so favorable a report from his Division. They number only thirty; and, from our own knowledge, can say that if all the Divisions in the State were composed of as zealous and active Temperance men, the cause would never languish. They promise us another list soon.

From A. R. Wright, of Springfield, \$16 for the Organ; of this number, Langley Division takes 10 copies. Bro. W. says: "We will send more soon." We feel the obligation due to Bro. Wright, and other friends, who, like him, stood by us in our efforts the first year to establish the Organ on a firm basis, and their continued favors are a source of the greatest gratification. We shall send the Tracts as requested.

From H. Cary, Xenia, \$5, and 5 names for the Organ. This makes, in all, 25 from Bro. C. He says in his last: "There are many more here who should be subscribers, and soon, I hope, will be." The friends in Xenia always have extended a liberal patronage to the Temperance paper, and now that the battle begins to wax warm, may we not, through the efficiency of our constant brother, expect a very large list.

From John Spencer, Chauncy, Athens county, Ohio, \$10 for Organ.

From J. D. Leonard, Marietta, Ohio, \$15 for Organ.

From J. W. Carlisle, Ironton, O., \$14 for Organ.

From G. Rikeff, New Philadelphia, Ohio, \$1 for Organ.

From Geo. Murdock, California, O., \$6 for Organ.

From the R. S. of Williamsburg Division No. 340, we have the handsome sum of \$25, and 25 new subscribers to Organ.

From J. V. Wilkin, Sidney, Ohio, \$3 for Organ.

From William F. Carroll, Gallipolis, O., \$11 for Organ.

From W. P. Sprague, Malta, Ohio, \$10 for Organ.

From A. Judd, Jr., Lowell, Ohio, \$5 for Organ.

From J. W. Perryman, Montgomery, O., \$2 for Organ.

From J. M. McElhinney, Newport, Ohio, we have an additional name to the liberal list from that place, accompanied by \$1.

From John S. Carmony, Lena, Ohio, \$7 for Organ. The Bro. says: "We have yet one sick hole of ruin to contend with in our village, but have resolved to push the battle to the gate. We have also resolved upon having the Maine liquor law, and will not rest until we obtain it."

From H. Carey, Xenia, Ohio, \$3 and 3 new subscribers for Organ.

From C. Broadwall, Mount Carmel, Ohio, we have \$5.00 and 5 new subscribers to Organ. The Brother writes: "This will swell our list of subscribers to thirty-one, from a Division having twenty-one members; a ratio of one and a half papers to each member belonging to the Division. Who beats us? 'We pause for a reply.'"

From M. Ireland, Jeffersonville, O., \$3 for Organ.

From Hiram Daily, West Liberty, Ky., \$10 for Organ. The Brother says: "We have a small Division of Sons here, whose number is increasing weekly. Our Division is composed of members of the right stamp; and, although yet in its infancy, it has already shed a salutary influence over our village and surrounding country, acknowledged and felt by all. Our Division is waging a war of extermination on alcohol, and her zeal knows no bounds but success."

Owing to the great number of remittances to acknowledge, this week, we cannot extend our remarks as fully as we would desire; but would here tender our heartiest thanks to one and all, for the interest they have manifested in behalf of the Organ. We hope they will be better paid for their labor in seeing and realizing much good done through its instrumentality. If we fail in accomplishing this, our want of success may be attributed to the head, not the heart.

From J. W. Warfield, Fairview, Ohio, \$4 for Organ.

From S. E. Magee, Deersville, Ohio, \$1 for Organ.

From J. W. Perryman, Montgomery, O., 5 new subscribers to Organ.

From J. R. Ellis, Racine, Ohio, \$2 for Organ.

From John J. Lester, Liverpool, O., \$12 for Organ.

From J. W. Spencer, Mutual P. O., Champaign county, O., \$10 for Organ.

From Charles Foster, Stouder, Seneca co., O., \$7 for Organ.

From John U. Pease, Sylvania, Lucas county, Ohio, \$1 for Organ.

From Thomas Boner, Rushsylvania, Logan county, O., \$14 for Organ, for Good-hope Division, No. 568.

From H. Jaqua, New Madison, O., \$21 for Organ. Bro. J. says, "I was appointed agent for your valuable paper by Madison Division, but I by no means obtained all this club by my own exertions. The temperance men here are getting their shoulders to the wheel, the work goes on, and must go on as long as there is any necessity for a move in the cause." Keep the ball rolling, friends.

From John A. Haines, agent for Richland Division, East Richland, O., \$5 for Organ.

From W. G. Ferguson, New Holland, Pickaway county, O., \$1 for Tracts. Bro. F., we are sorry to say, gives us a gloomy account of the state of his Division. He says they are about delivering up the Charter—having voted to that effect by a majority of 2 out of 20 voters present; but he expresses a hope that the vote will be rescinded. Friends, it must be rescinded. What! surrender to the enemy, just in the heat of the battle! The friends of temperance were never so loudly called upon to lay off their coats, and go to work, as at this particular time. Our adversaries are busy, whilst some are nobly meeting them, and braving the storm; but others, we regret to say, are "lying supinely on their backs, crying—peace, peace." Brethren, the war must go on; there is no backing out. Let not Div. No. 141 be among the deserters.

From Oliver M. Hamilton, Brownsville, Ohio, \$1 for Organ.

From Moses Reeves, the energetic agent for Blue Rock Division, No. 630, Muskingum county, Ohio, \$30 for the new volume of Organ. Accompanying the above club is a request that we would publish in the Organ the Market Reports, as the yeomenry of our State, [and the greatest number of our patrons are such] would especially be favored thereby. We cheerfully comply with this, and shall hereafter give the Reports weekly, as we are determined not to be found wanting on our part to make the paper acceptable to our friends.

From Thomas H. Herdman, Chancellersville, Ohio, \$4 for Organ.

From A. J. Christopher, Jamestown, O., we have the following: "Enclosed find \$1 for 15 copies of the Organ of Temperance, and I expect to send more soon, perhaps next week. Our Division is in a healthy and prosperous condition. We are initiating from one to three new members here for some time past. Temperance men here are alive to the cause and interest."

From J. C. Reynolds, Carroll, Fairfield county, Ohio, we have the following: "Enclosed find \$28 for 28 copies of Organ. I was appointed agent by our Div. (Havensport, No. 267,) to procure subscribers, and we have done all we can now do to get a good list. We may add a few more soon. Our Division numbers about 43 members. If we should chance to get a prize, we will not object."

From C. V. Bellows, Albany, Athens co., O., \$2 for Organ. Bro. B. says: "Our Division was instituted on the 1st of July, 1848; and from that time to this some 10 or 15 members have had to bear the burden; and we have here, as well as Divisions have elsewhere, all manner of opposition; and have passed some very dark days; and had not our crew been of the 'adamantine undiminished,' our bark would doubtless have been foundered long since; but we cannot give in—our hand is at the lever, and our

heart is in the work. The enemy is right at our door, with three citadels from which he pours the fire of death in upon us, and scatters woe on every hand, causing the widowed mother to weep for the fall of her beloved son, and the aged father and mother who weep as if they could not be comforted, for the blighted hopes of their dear and promising children, who have fallen a prey to the monster; and the appeal of the worse than widowed wife and mother, when she appeals to us to use all means under heaven by which we might restore to her, her husband, and to her children their father, as he was in days of yore. Such appeals as these, it would seem, would stir a heart of stone; yet it moves not those who are engaged in the work of destruction. It stirs us up, however, and we have taken up arms in their defence. Our little Division has been in the war five years, and have enlisted for six years more, renewable forever, if old Alcohol does not give in before, even unto death. We go for the Maine Law, up here."

From G. A. Vincent, McConnellsville, O., \$10 for Organ.

From J. Q. Larkin, Columbus, Ohio, order for 1000 Tracts, which we have sent as requested.

From J. F. Sain, Athens, Ohio, 12 cents for Maine Liquor Law.

From Z. M. Hiatt, East Liberty, Ohio, \$13 for Organ. Bro. H. says: "This makes 17 subscribers from our Division—just half our number. I want the first premium, not on account of its pecuniary worth, but because we have labored hard to do what we have already accomplished. I do not wish you to think, however, that we are desponding. No, we are everything else. The great work is progressing slowly, but surely. The seed that has been sown broadcast over the land, has taken deep root in our little village. The friends of temperance are wide awake to their interest, and we are determined to fight on, until we hear a voice say—it is enough; come, and we will enjoy all the vital principles of the Maine Law."

From R. H. Warner, Fultonham, Muskingum county, Ohio, \$8 and 10 new subscribers.

From J. B. McNabb, agent for Organ at Poland, Ohio, per T. H. Cummings, \$16 for new volume of Organ.

From M. W. Pearson, Tippecanoe, Ohio, 4 new subscribers to the Organ.

From John H. Kauke, Wooster, Ohio, we have the following: "Enclosed I send \$12, for which you will send the Organ. I will endeavor to increase the list. Our pegs are stuck. We are determined not to vote for any man for the Legislature, at the coming election, who is not pledged for the Maine Law, with additional restrictions. The temperance folks in old Wayne are bound and spread themselves in the coming campaign." That's the talk, friends. You have taken the only stand true temperance men can consistently take.

From Jacob J. Kennedy, West Bedford, Coshocton county, Ohio, \$10 for Organ. The Illustrated Maine Law was forwarded according to order, but must have got misplaced somewhere.

From Thomas Black, Portland, Jay co., Indiana, \$1 for Organ. The Brother writes that if the Organ is not published now, he will take the worth of his money in Maine Law Tracts. We hope, when he receives the paper, that he will "whisper" it around among his friends that there is such a thing printed here. We also forwarded a few of the tracts.

From Abraham Lloyd, Radnor P. O., Ohio, \$1 for Organ.

From Chambers Baird, Ripley, Ohio, \$10 for Organ and \$1 for Tracts. The Brother gives us a gloomy picture of the state of temperance in his place. He says: "I sometimes feel discouraged on account of the apathy of temperance men here. The mildew of death seems to have settled down upon the cause here. A few of the 'old guards' still keep up the semi-monthly meetings, and try to hold in check the mighty tide of intemperance which seems about to roll rove our town. Doggeries are increasing, and, as a matter of course, drunkenness and poverty, and all other evils that follow in the heliish train. I circulated the tracts you sent me, in our town, and am determined, at my own expense, to put a copy in

every family in the place. I hope it will be done so throughout the State. How easy to do it. I believe it must be done, if we expect to succeed at the next election."

From C. W. Kelsey, Mount Vernon, O., \$5 for Organ—an addition to the generous list before received from the Division at that place.

From John Rochester, Logan, Hocking county, Ohio, \$10 and 10 new subscribers to the Organ.

From S. E. Lanphire, Brunswick, Medina county, Ohio, we have the following decidedly interesting letter: "Enclosed you will find \$78 for the Organ, and 78 subscribers. The above amount has been raised by the members of Sweet Home Division, No. 87, instituted July 10th, 1851. The Division, at present, is small—having but 38 members, a part of whom are so far off that they have not met with us for months; but I want you to distinctly understand, that we are all true Sons of Temperance, and are willing to work, and sacrifice our time and money, too, to promote the temperance cause. As agent for our Division, I am authorized to say, that we have enlisted during the entire war. We will endeavor to do all we can for the Organ; in fact, we are obliged to sustain it; for our existence as Temperance organization, in a great degree depends upon the diffusion of temperance truths in our midst; and we know of no paper so well adapted to our wants as the Organ."

From David Mercer, Williamsburg, Noble county, Ohio, \$8 for Organ. Brother M. says: "In respect to the Temperance movement, we are awake, and our Division is moving forward. Although we have had strong opposition, it is giving way, to some extent, and we are waiting anxiously for a law similar to that of Maine."

From James H. Freeman, Richmond Dale, Ross county, Ohio, \$11 for Organ.

From Edinburg, Portage county, Ohio, \$4 for Organ.

From J. H. Sharp, Williamsburg, Ohio, \$4 for Organ, with the promise of a "few more of the same sort soon."

From B. Eaton, Hendrysburg, Ohio, \$10 for Organ.

From Thomas C. Tipton, Darbyville, O., \$9 for Organ. Let us hear from you, B. C., by way of a communication for the paper. It will be very acceptable.

From I. Schmucker, Newark, O., \$1 for Organ.

From Uri N. Merwin, Newton Falls, Trumbull county, Ohio, \$22.00 for Organ. The Brother says: "We have a number of 'reformed' men in our Division, who are, and have been for some time, an ornament to our Order, and our hope is in the Maine Liquor Law; and when there is purity and principle enough in our Legislature to pass such a law, there will be found good mettle enough in our midst to put the law in force, and 'root' the rum or whisky casks from their dens, to the joy and satisfaction of many a disconsolate wife, and of the community in general. Still we have the enemy with us; but give us the Maine Law, and they are ours."

From John W. Goshen, Putnam, Muskingum county, Ohio, \$11 for Organ.

From J. Robinson, Washington, Guernsey county, Ohio, \$17 for Organ and 50 cents for Tracts. Brother R. says: "We are in the midst of an excitement such as we never before witnessed, occasioned by the passage of the Maine liquor law by our town council; but whether we can enforce the law, remains yet to be seen." Friends, you must enforce it. We cheerfully enter upon our exchange list Brother R.'s paper, as requested.

From Lima, Allen county, Ohio, \$20 for Organ, for the use of Lima Division.

From W. C. Ferguson, New Holland, Pickaway county, Ohio, \$2 for Organ.

From John Walker, West Middleburg, Ohio, we have the following: "Enclosed you will find \$12 for 12 copies of Organ. Our Division is in a prosperous condition, the temperance ball is in motion, and the enemy is about to give way. We are adding to our Division men of principle, who have heretofore been our enemies, but they receive the yoke and go with us for the Maine Law. You may set down old Logan as one county that will, at the next election, send to our legislature a temperance man, pledged to go for the Maine law."

From Bro. Orr, of Miami Town, Ohio, \$1 for Organ.

From L. D. Allen, North Fairfield, Huron county, Ohio, \$1.50 for Organ.

From O. S. McClelland, Goshen, Clermont county, Ohio, \$9 for Organ.

From J. Oldham, Brownsville, Ohio, \$2 and one subscriber to Organ, to be added to the club sent from that place. Shall we have another subscriber, or remit the \$1 to your address?

From E. Dimmitt, agent for Division No. 250, Boston, Clermont county, Ohio, \$2 for Organ.

From M. Lewis, Chillicothe, Ohio, 22 subscribers to new volume of Organ.